

**REMARKS:**

As the examiner can see, applicant has at this time elected 4 sequences, 2 primer pairs comprising primers based on SEQ ID Nos 1 and 2 and SEQ ID Nos 3 and 4.

The restriction and amendment of the claims is done without prejudice and applicant reserves the right to pursue these or similar claims in one or more divisional, continuation and/or continuation-in-part applications.

In view of the foregoing, further and more favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted

Gehua Wang et al.

PER: MRW  
MICHAEL R. WILLIAMS  
Registration No: 45,333

MRW/  
August 2, 2007  
Enc.()

Michael R. Williams    Winnipeg, Manitoba,, Canada  
Telephone (204) 957-8364 - FAX (204) 957-0516